

# SAINT FRANCIS BORGLIA



## Welcomes Visitors & New Parishioners

Reaffirming our own faith in  
Jesus, the Christ, we gladly  
welcome you into this  
community of faith, enfolding  
you with our love and  
committing ourselves to your care.

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## SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**FEBRUARY 14**

*Saint Francis Borgia was dedicated on September 30, 1952 by the  
Most Reverend Francis R. Cotton, D.D. Bishop of Owensboro, Ky.*

FAITH, FAMILY & FRIENDS

### **SACRAMENTS**

#### **CONFESSION**

Sunday 8:00 AM - 8:30 And by appointment

#### **BAPTISM**

Preparation Classes required for parents.

Please contact Fr. Ryan early in your pregnancy.

Call the office for more details.

#### **HOLY COMMUNION**

Contact Fr. Ryan or the church office

#### **HOLY MATRIMONY**

Contact Fr. Ryan at least 6 months prior to the proposed  
wedding date.

#### **MINISTRY TO THE SICK**

Holy communion is taken to the sick and to the nursing homes  
weekly. Contact the parish office for anyone in need.

## **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

<b>FEB 14</b>	MOVIE NIGHT PARISH HALL 6:00
<b>FEB 21</b>	FOOD DRIVE
<b>FEB 27</b>	DINNER AUCTION
<b>MARCH</b>	CLOTHING DRIVE—INFO TO FOLLOW
<b>MAR 6</b>	COFFEE & DONUTS
<b>MAR 20</b>	PALM SUNDAY-BEGINS HOLY WEEK
<b>MAR 27</b>	EASTER SUNDAY MASS HERE AT 10:00 AM

## **Our Return to the Lord**

**JANUARY 07, 2016**

**Attendance ( 105 )**

<b>Tithes</b>	<b>\$ 1780.74</b>
<b>Pastoral Associate</b>	<b>\$ 68.00</b>
<b>Votive Candles</b>	<b>\$ 2.00</b>
<b>St. Vincent de Paul</b>	<b>\$ 20.00</b>
<b>Mass Intentions</b>	<b>\$ 15.00</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 1885.74</b>

**A check was mailed out this week to Water with Blessings for \$717.00. Thank you all!!!!**

## **BULLETIN BITE!!!**

**"You shall not put the Lord, your God, to the test."**

The story of the temptation of Jesus raises several questions. Why did the Spirit lead Jesus into the desert to be tempted by the devil? Why did the devil tempt Jesus to turn stones into bread and offer Him all the kingdoms of the world? Why take Jesus to the parapet of the temple in Jerusalem and tell Him to throw himself down so the angels could protect him from harm? Well, there are an endless supply of stones in the Holy Land. Jesus could have sold bread and become very rich. With great wealth and power over all of the kingdoms of the earth, Jesus could control the lives of everyone. If people saw Him jump off the parapet of the temple and land safely on the ground, they would have been so amazed He would control their mind and spirit. Jesus not only resisted the temptations of the devil, He taught us that we will not gain the Kingdom of God by unearned wealth, undeserved power, or trickery. We get to heaven by being all that God created us to be. Do we want to get to heaven?

## **TODAYS REFLECTION**

In today's epic Gospel scene, Jesus relives in His flesh the history of Israel.

We've already seen that like Israel, Jesus has passed through water, been called God's beloved Son (see Luke 3:22; Exodus 4:22). Now, as Israel was tested for forty years in the wilderness, Jesus is led into the desert to be tested for forty days and nights (see Exodus 15:25).

He faces the temptations put to Israel: Hungry, He's tempted to grumble against God for food (see Exodus 16:1-13). As Israel quarreled at Massah, He's tempted to doubt God's care (see Exodus 17:1-6). When the Devil asks His homage, He's tempted to do what Israel did in creating the golden calf (see Exodus 32).

Jesus fights the Devil with the Word of God, three times quoting from Moses' lecture about the lessons Israel was supposed to learn from its wilderness wanderings (see Deuteronomy 8:3; 6:16; 6:12-15).

Why do we read this story on the first Sunday of Lent? Because like the biblical sign of forty (see Genesis 7:12; Exodus 24:18; 34:28; 1 Kings 19:8; Jonah 3:4), the forty days of Lent are a time of trial and purification.

Lent is to teach us what we hear over and over in today's readings. "Call upon me, and I will answer," the Lord promises in today's Psalm. Paul promises the same thing in today's Epistle (quoting Deuteronomy 30:14; Isaiah 28:16; Joel 2:32).

This was Israel's experience, as Moses reminds his people in today's First Reading: "We cried to the Lord...and He heard." But each of us is tempted, as Israel was, to forget the great deeds He works in our lives, to neglect our birthright as His beloved sons and daughters.

Like the litany of remembrance Moses prescribes for Israel, we should see in the Mass a memorial of our salvation, and "bow down in His presence," offering ourselves in thanksgiving for all He has given us.

Dr. Scott Hahn

**"do you want to go to heaven"?**

## **Receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation**

**LIGHT IS ON!!!!**

February 17—St Francis 7:00 pm

February 24—St William 7:00 pm

March 2—St Ambrose 7:00 pm

March 9—St William 7:00 pm

March 16—St Francis 7:00 pm



# WEEKLY LITURGICAL CALENDAR

Saturday, Feb 13, violet, Vigil <b>FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT</b>	5:30 p.m. St. Ambrose Confession 4:00-5:00 p.m. <i>(Sat rdgs) Is 58:9b-14/Lk 5:27-32</i>	Parishioners
Sunday, Feb 14, violet <b>FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT</b>	9:00 a.m. St. Francis Borgia Confession 8:00-8:30 a.m. <i>Dt 26:4-10/Rom 10:8-13/Lk 4:1-13</i>	Fr. Albert Reed, RIP By Paul and Bernadette Farr
Sunday, Feb 14, violet <b>FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT</b>	11:00 a.m. St. William Confession following Mass <i>Dt 26:4-10/Rom 10:8-13/Lk 4:1-13</i>	Debbie Hagan, RIP By Brad & Lisa Dossett
Monday, Feb 15, violet	7:00 a.m. St. Francis Borgia Confession following Mass <i>Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/Mt 25:31-46</i>	Amber Chandler, health By Greg and Marie Little
Tuesday, Feb 16, violet	7:00 a.m. St. Francis Borgia Confession following Mass <i>Lv 19:1-2, 11-18/Mt 25:31-46</i>	Bernard Brown RIP By Mary Holt
Wednesday, Feb 17, violet <i>The Seven Holy Founders of the Ser- vite Order</i>	12:00 noon St. Ambrose Confession following Mass <i>Jon 3:1-10/Lk 11:29-32</i>	Chris Weber, RIP By Mark & Karen McCarty
Thursday, Feb 18, violet	12:00 noon St. William Confession following Mass <i>Est C:12, 14-16, 23-25/Mt 7:7-12</i>	Fran Hamilton Robin Johnson
Friday, Feb 19, violet	NO MASS <i>Ez 18:21-28/Mt 5:20-26</i>	<b>NO MASS</b>
Saturday, Feb 20, violet, Vigil <b>SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT</b>	5:30 p.m. St. Ambrose Confession 4:00-5:00 p.m. <i>(Sat rdgs) Dt 26:16-19/Mt 5:43-48</i>	Theresa Heavrin By Jerry & Judy Howard
Sunday, Feb, 21, violet <b>SEC- OND SUNDAY OF LENT</b>	9:00 a.m. St. Francis Borgia Confession 8:00-8:30 a.m. <i>Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/Phil 3:17—4:1 or 3:20—4:1/Lk 9:28b-36</i>	David & Anna Conn 40 <sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary
Sunday, Feb, 21, violet <b>SEC- OND SUNDAY OF LENT</b>	11:00 a.m. St. William Confession following Mass <i>Gn 15:5-12, 17-18/Phil 3:17—4:1 or 3:20—4:1/Lk 9:28b-36</i>	Parishioners